

PATENT APPLICATION

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In re application of

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For: AMPLIFICATION FOR VERY BROAD BAND OPTICAL FIBER TRANSMISSION

SYSTEMS

RESPONSE TO OFFICE COMMUNICATION

MAIL STOP NON-FEE AMENDMENT

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Sir:

In response to the Office Communication dated July 8, 2004, please amend the aboveidentified application as follows on the accompanying pages.

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